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YOUTHS PARTICIPATE IN WINTER-STUDY CAMPAIGN -- Ta Kung Pao, 16 Dec 49

Pei-p'ing, 14 December (NCNA) -- On 11 December 1949, the Central Committee of the China New Democracy Youth Corps issued a directive to youth corps members in rural areas calling for a vigorous winter-study campaign. The directive emphasized the program to eliminate illiteracy, increase industrial and agricultural production, and apprehend bandits and subversive elements.

The directive reads in part:

1. The winter-study campaign should conform to the tasks set forth by the People's government and the CCP and should fulfill the needs of youths in accordance with the conditions in each locality.
2. In the old liberated areas, the youth corps committees should mobilize youth in the educational campaign by enlisting the aid of grade-school teachers in teaching the use of the abacus, arithmetic, sciences, public health and sanitation, the Common Program of the China People's Consultative Conference, school and youth corps songs, the national anthem, public morality, and the meaning of and the love for the national flag.

In addition, production techniques should be studied by visits to factories and farms, and listening to lectures.

The corps members, besides participating in the study program, should also take cadre-training courses to aid them in the youth-corps organizing movement.

3. In the newly liberated areas, the youth corps committees should take the lead in mobilizing youth to apprehend bandits and subversive elements, in the campaign to reduce rents and interest, and in other land-reform programs. Care should be taken to enlist the support of young leaders so that they can help in the youth-corps organizing movement.

4. In areas afflicted with natural disasters, the youth-corps committee should mobilize youth in rehabilitation and production programs. The corps members should instill in youth the spirit of teamwork in overcoming all difficulties.

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5. The principal objective of this winter campaign is to increase the membership of the youth corps. In the old liberated areas, it is essential to recruit youths with progressive ideas, good workers, and those who have shown leadership abilities. Young intellectuals and grade-school teachers are especially desirable for the youth corps.

In the newly liberated areas, it is necessary to propagandize youth-corps activities before launching the membership drive. The members should be recruited from peasants associations, troop units, schools, and farms.

In carrying out the organizing work, two tendencies should be avoided: (1) imposing requirements that are too high and using processes that are too cumbersome, and (2) emphasis on increasing membership to the extent of conscripting, while neglecting the real work of organizing and rebuilding.

6. The youth-corps committee members should train to become leaders during this winter campaign. They should know the tasks set forth by the government and maintain liaison with the various governmental agencies to know the general situation. They should be able to direct organizing movements. They should be ready to represent their own groups in youth, youth corps, all-circles, and other delegates conferences. Finally, they should be able to educate youth cadres and maintain close relations with corps committees, members, and youth in general.

7. At the termination of this winter study campaign, it is required that all youth-corps committees submit reports to the Central Committee of the China New Democracy Youth Corps.

#### EXPAND CHILDREN'S CORPS MOVEMENT -- Ta Kung Pao, 28 Nov 49

Shen-yang, 27 November (NCNA) -- The Preparatory Committee of the Shen-yang Youth Corps organized a children's corps in that city late in October. In 2 weeks 173 members had been recruited. At the end of 1949, the Ha-erh-pin Youth Corps Preparatory Committee will change the former Pei-lin Children's Corps into the Ha-erh-pin New Democracy Children's Corps. In Ch'ang-ch'un, the former Children's Pioneer Corps is being reorganized into the New Democracy Children's Corps, and in An-tung, a children's corps is now being organized by the An-tung Youth Corps.

#### GREETINGS SOVIET YOUTH -- Ta Kung Pao, 15 Nov 49

Pei-p'ing, 6 November (NCNA) -- The All-China Democratic Youth League, on 5 November, sent the following message to the Anti-Fascist Youth Committee of the Soviet Union in commemoration of the 32d anniversary of the October Revolution: "In behalf of the 4,200,000 members of the All-China Democratic Youth League, I send you greetings on this, the 32d anniversary of the October Revolution." The message was signed by Liao Ch'eng-chih, Chairman, All-China Democratic Youth League.

#### CELEBRATES WORLD YOUTH DAY, STUDENTS WEEK -- Wen-hui Pao, 12 Nov 49

Pei-p'ing, 11 November (NCNA) -- On 10 November, World Youth Day was celebrated in Pei-p'ing, Nan-ching, Wu-han, and Fu-chou. Celebrations were also held in other places throughout China.

In Pei-p'ing, the World Youth Day celebration also commenced the Students Week. The celebration, held between 10 to 15 November, was sponsored jointly by the Youth Corps Cadre Commission, the Democratic Youth League, and the Students Union, all of Pei-p'ing.

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People from all walks of life attended the daily lectures, movies, banquets, sports, and cultural activities. Reports were given by the Chinese representatives to the Second World Democratic Youth Delegates' Conference, the World Young Students' Rally, and sponsoring officials of World Youth Day.

In Nan-ching, 3,000 students and youths participated in the World Youth Day celebration. The lectures and entertainment began on 7 November and will culminate with an all-city sports festival on 13 November.

#### INTENSIFIES YOUTH-CORPS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE -- Wen-hui Pao, 17 Nov 49

Shang-hai, 16 November (MCNA) -- The Youth Cadre Commission of the Shang-hai New Democracy Youth Corps has announced the following program to intensify the youth-corps drive:

1. Organize all youth in the Shang-hai area into the youth corps during the next 2 months.
2. Establish youth corps branch offices to facilitate the recruiting drive.
3. Enlist large numbers of students and youths in the study campaign. The month of November will be set aside for the study of international affairs, and December, for the study of governmental functions and operations of the Central People's government.
4. Carry out various New Democracy sports and recreational activities.
5. Publish a children's magazine to interest children in the New Democracy Children's Corps movement.

#### FUKIEN PROVINCE HOLDS YOUTH CORPS RALLY -- Wen-hui Pao, 11 Nov 49

Fu-chou -- On 5 November, the first youth corps rally was held in Fu-chou and resulted in the establishment of the Fukien Province Youth Corps Cadre Commission.

#### ORGANIZES YOUTH CORPS IN OFFICES AND SCHOOLS -- Wen-hui Pao, 11 Nov 49

Ch'ang-chou -- On 16 October, the Ch'ang-chou Committee of the CCP announced its decision to organize a youth corps. The preparatory committees to establish youth corps are rapidly being organized in the Communications Bureau, Commodities Bureau, Hu-nan University, and Provincial Middle School No 1.

On the same day, the Ch'ang-chou Youth Corps Cadre Commission invited 2,000 youth of the city to a dinner party and encouraged them to join the youth corps.

Also on the same day, the Tzu-chin Hsien Branch of the New Democracy Youth Corps was officially established. About 30 corps members participated in the organizing ceremony.

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